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## Filing at a Glance

Company: American Public Life Insurance Company

Product Name: HI-2200 Rate Increase SERFF Tr Num: AFDL-126932413 State: Arkansas TOI: H14I Individual Health - Hospital Indemnity SERFF Status: Closed-Approved-State Tr Num: 47519

Closed

Sub-TOI: H14I.000 Health - Hospital Indemnity Co Tr Num: HI-2200 RATE State Status: Approved-Closed

**INCREASE** 

Filing Type: Rate Reviewer(s): Rosalind Minor

Authors: Shari Vick, Melissa Disposition Date: 01/27/2011 Mahanes, Ashlie Snyder, Tonya

Bittle

Date Submitted: 12/13/2010 Disposition Status: Approved-

Closed

Implementation Date Requested: 04/01/2011 Implementation Date:

State Filing Description:

### General Information

Project Name: HI-2200 Rate Increase Status of Filing in Domicile: Pending

Project Number: HI-2200 Rate Increase

Requested Filing Mode: Review & Approval

Explanation for Combination/Other:

Submission Type: New Submission

Date Approved in Domicile:

Domicile Status Comments:

Market Type: Individual

Individual Market Type:

Overall Rate Impact: 35% Filing Status Changed: 01/27/2011

State Status Changed: 01/27/2011

Deemer Date: Created By: Tonya Bittle

Submitted By: Tonya Bittle Corresponding Filing Tracking Number:

Filing Description:

American Fidelity Assurance Company is filing the above listed rate increase for approval with your Department on behalf of American Public Life Insurance Company. A letter of authorization is enclosed.

Enclosed for submission is information concerning an increase in premium rates for the HI-2200 Hospital Indemnity Policy and optional riders, where applicable, as listed in the Actuarial Memorandum. These forms have been previously approved by your Department.

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The policy is guaranteed renewable.

The rate increase was filed in our domiciliary state on 12/03/10. A list of old and new rates and the actuarial memorandum are attached to this filing. The effective date of this proposed increase will be no sooner than April 1, 2011, or the next plan date for those individuals under a Section 125 plan.

I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge the rates submitted herewith is in compliance in all respects with the provisions of the insurance laws, rules and regulations of your state and such rates contain no provisions previously disapproved by the Department.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at 1-800-654-8489, extension 7782. My email address is shari.vick@af-group.com.

# **Company and Contact**

### **Filing Contact Information**

Shari Vick, Compliance Analyst II shari.vick@af-group.com

2000 Classen Blvd 800-654-8489 [Phone] 7782 [Ext]

Oklahoma City, OK 73106 405-523-5793 [FAX]

**Filing Company Information** 

American Public Life Insurance Company CoCode: 60801 State of Domicile: Oklahoma

2305 Lakeland Drive Group Code: 330 Company Type: LAH Flowood, MS 39232 Group Name: State ID Number:

(601) 936-2157 ext. [Phone] FEIN Number: 64-0349942

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# **Filing Fees**

Fee Required? Yes
Fee Amount: \$50.00
Retaliatory? Yes

Fee Explanation: \$50.00/Rate Filing

Per Company: No

COMPANY AMOUNT DATE PROCESSED TRANSACTION #

American Public Life Insurance Company \$50.00 12/13/2010 42856807

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# **Correspondence Summary**

## **Dispositions**

Status	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted
Approved- Closed	Rosalind Minor	01/27/2011	01/27/2011

## **Objection Letters and Response Letters**

Objection Letters			Response Letters			
Status	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted	Responded By	Created On	Date Submitted
Pending Industry	Rosalind Mino	or 12/16/2010	12/16/2010	Tonya Bittle	12/20/2010	12/20/2010
Response						

## **Amendments**

Schedule	Schedule Item Name	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted
Supporting Document	Health - Actuarial Justification	Tonya Bittle	01/20/2011	01/20/2011
Rate Supporting Document Filing Notes	Rates/Actuarial Justification Health - Actuarial Justification	Tonya Bittle Tonya Bittle	01/12/2011 01/12/2011	01/12/2011 01/12/2011

Subject	Note Type	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted
Revised Actuarial	Note To Reviewer	Tonya Bittle	01/27/2011	01/27/2011
Revised Actuarial memorandum	Note To Filer	Rosalind Minor	01/18/2011	01/18/2011

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Filing Company: American Public Life Insurance Company State Tracking Number: 47519

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Your response of 12/20/10 Note To Filer Rosalind Minor 12/28/2010 12/28/2010

History of Rate Increases Reviewer Note Rosalind Minor 01/24/2011

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## **Disposition**

Disposition Date: 01/27/2011

Implementation Date:
Status: Approved-Closed

Comment:

We have approved a 15% level rate increase on your submission. The approval is subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Rate increases will not be given prior to the first annual anniversary date of any policy.
- 2. After the first annual anniversary date of any policy, increases will not be given more frequently than once in a twelve (12) month period.
- 3. All increases in rates, other than a change in age or an individual moving to another geographical area, must be submitted to our Department for approval.

Rate data does NOT apply to filing.

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 American Public Life Insurance Company
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Schedule	Schedule Item Status Public		Public Access
Supporting Document (revised)	Health - Actuarial Justification	Approved-Closed	No
Supporting Document	Health - Actuarial Justification	Replaced	No
Supporting Document	Health - Actuarial Justification	Replaced	Yes
Supporting Document	Third-Party Authorization	Approved-Closed	Yes
Rate (revised)	Rates/Actuarial Justification	Approved-Closed	No
Rate	Rates/Actuarial Justification	Replaced	No

Company Tracking Number: HI-2200 RATE INCREASE

TOI: H141 Individual Health - Hospital Indemnity Sub-TOI: H141.000 Health - Hospital Indemnity

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Project Name/Number: HI-2200 Rate Increase/HI-2200 Rate Increase

## **Objection Letter**

Objection Letter Status Pending Industry Response

Objection Letter Date 12/16/2010 Submitted Date 12/16/2010

Respond By Date Dear Shari Vick,

This will acknowledge receipt of the captioned filing.

Objection 1

- Health - Actuarial Justification (Supporting Document)

Comment:

Our Department is limiting our approval of rate increases on Limited Benefit Products to 15%. If you wish to accept the 15% approval, please send us a revised Actuarial memorandum and rates.

We appreciate your understanding in this matter.

Please feel free to contact me if you have questions.

Sincerely,

**Rosalind Minor** 

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## **Response Letter**

Response Letter Status Submitted to State

Response Letter Date 12/20/2010 Submitted Date 12/20/2010

Dear Rosalind Minor,

#### Comments:

Accepting 15% Increase.

## Response 1

Comments: Thank you for your consideration. We are in acceptance of the 15% increase proposed in you objection.

## **Related Objection 1**

Applies To:

- Health - Actuarial Justification (Supporting Document)

Comment:

Our Department is limiting our approval of rate increases on Limited Benefit Products to 15%. If you wish to accept the 15% approval, please send us a revised Actuarial memorandum and rates.

We appreciate your understanding in this matter.

### **Changed Items:**

No Supporting Documents changed.

No Form Schedule items changed.

No Rate/Rule Schedule items changed.

Sincerely,

Ashlie Snyder, Melissa Mahanes, Shari Vick, Tonya Bittle

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**Note To Reviewer** 

Created By:

Tonya Bittle on 01/27/2011 09:31 AM

Last Edited By:

**Rosalind Minor** 

**Submitted On:** 

01/27/2011 01:48 PM

Subject:

Revised Actuarial

Comments:

Rosalind,

I believe our final amendment of 1/20/11 revising our Actuarial Memorandum brings us into compliance with all the changes requested in order for the filing to be completed. However, the Sate Status in SERFF is still marked "Waiting Industry Response." The SERFF Status field shows the filing is "Pending State Action." Since the two status indicators contradict, I wanted to check that you have everything you need from us at this time in order to finalize your review. If anything is still needed, please call (405)416-7780 or e-mail me at tonya.bittle@af-group.com.

Thank you.

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 AFDL-126932413
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**Amendment Letter** 

Submitted Date: 01/20/2011

Comments:

Thank you for your note dated 1/18/11. We have revised the actuarial memorandum as requested for review. Thank you for your assistance.

**Changed Items:** 

**Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes:** 

Satisfied -Name: Health - Actuarial Justification

Comment:

Arkansas(corrected).pdf

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TOI: H141 Individual Health - Hospital Indemnity Sub-TOI: H141.000 Health - Hospital Indemnity

Product Name: HI-2200 Rate Increase

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**Note To Filer** 

Created By:

Rosalind Minor on 01/18/2011 03:21 PM

Last Edited By:

**Rosalind Minor** 

**Submitted On:** 

01/27/2011 01:48 PM

Subject:

Revised Actuarial memorandum

**Comments:** 

I spoke with your office last week concerning the revised actuarial memorandum.

The memorandum was revised to reflect a 15% increase. As discussed in our conversation, it appears that item #4 also needs to be revised. Item 4 now reads: A 12.0% rate increase is being requiested......The average increase is 32.8%. Please correct these statements.

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#### **Amendment Letter**

Submitted Date: 01/12/2011

#### **Comments:**

In response to your 12/28/10 request for a revised actuarial memorandum reflecting the 15% increase, we have attached a revised version of the memo as an amendment. The form is located under both the Rate/Rule Schedule and the Supporting Documentation tabs.

Thank you for your continued assistance.

### **Changed Items:**

Rate/Rule Schedule Item Changes:

Affected Form	Rate	Rate Action Information:	Attach
Numbers: (Comma	Action:		Document:
Separated list)			
HI-2200AR, APL HR-2	2,Revised	Previous State Filing Number: N/A	A HI2200 - Arkansas.pdf
APL HR-3, APL HR-4	,	- PAPER	
APL HR-5, APL HR-6	<b>,</b>		
APL HR-7, APL HR-8	i .		
	Numbers: (Comma Separated list) HI-2200AR, APL HR-2 APL HR-3, APL HR-4 APL HR-5, APL HR-6	Numbers: (Comma Action:	Numbers: (Comma Action: Separated list) HI-2200AR, APL HR-2, Revised Previous State Filing Number: N/A APL HR-3, APL HR-4, - PAPER APL HR-5, APL HR-6,

Percent Rate Change Request: 35 HI2200 - Arkansas.pdf

## **Supporting Document Schedule Item Changes:**

Satisfied -Name: Health - Actuarial Justification

Comment:

HI2200 - Arkansas.pdf

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**Note To Filer** 

Created By:

Rosalind Minor on 12/28/2010 09:45 AM

Last Edited By:

Rosalind Minor

**Submitted On:** 

01/27/2011 01:48 PM

Subject:

Your response of 12/20/10

Comments:

Thank you for your response to my Objection letter stating that you will adjust your rate increase request to 15%.

Before we approve the rate increase, please provide us with a revised actuarial memorandum and rates.

Thank you for your cooperation.

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**Reviewer Note** 

Created By:

Rosalind Minor on 01/24/2011 09:54 AM

Last Edited By:

Rosalind Minor

**Submitted On:** 

01/27/2011 01:48 PM

Subject:

History of Rate Increases

Comments:

I spoke with Sheri Vick and she stated that this was the first increase in Arkansas.

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# **Supporting Document Schedules**

Item Status: Status

Date:

Satisfied - Item: Third-Party Authorization Approved-Closed 01/27/2011

Comments: Attachment:

AuthorizationLtr.pdf



# A member of the American Fidelity Group.

February 2, 2010

NAIC Number: 60801 FEIN Number: 64-0349942

## To Whom It May Concern:

American Fidelity Assurance Company, located at 2000 N. Classen Boulevard, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, 73125, is hereby authorized to submit forms for approval to the Department of Insurance on behalf of American Public Life Insurance Company. Changes to the forms, as may be necessary to gain approval, are included in this authorization.

Sincerely,

Alex M. Bagby, ASA, MAAA

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Vice President & Chief Risk Officer